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FOR: BARLEY LIPOXYGENASE 1
GENE, METHOD OF SELECTING
BARLEY VARIETY, MATERIAL OF
MALT ALCOHOLIC DRINKS AND
PROCESS FOR PRODUCING MALT
ALCOHOLIC DRINK

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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

On October 14, 2010, the undersigned discussed Claim 2 with Examiner Ganapathiram in a telephone discussion. Agreement was reached as shown in the Notice of Allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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